

The Iowa Council on Homelessness

DRAFT AGENDA

RESEARCH & ANALYSIS COMMITTEE

Tuesday, May 12, 2015

9:00 A.M.

Conference Call-In Information (audio only): Call 866-685-1580; Code 515-725-4942

This is an open, public meeting that will be recorded for minute taking purposes.

- I. Introductions
- II. Approval of Agenda
- III. Point-in-Time Update: thinking about process
- IV. Putting a face on homelessness: thinking about the people as much as the numbers.
- V. What data & reports should we doing analysis on? (Or what value can we bring to the Council and its members)
- VI. Review of committee tasks.
- VII. Setting a regular meeting schedule.
- VIII. Old Business and/or Updates
- IX. New Business
- X. Public comments
- XI. Adjourn

Needed documents for review prior to the meeting:

- 1. 2015 PiT update
- 2. 2014 HUD *Point-in-Time Count Methodology Guide* (This document includes 14 General PIT Count Standards, which we need to address as a committee.)
- 3. 2014 HUD notice (there will be another for 2015, but I think we all need to review the previous notice)

As an inter-agency council we need to recognize that quality data is the foundation for evidence-based solutions. This committee has the potential to lay the ground work for becoming more of an inter-agency enterprise by using data to support other committees of the Council; it has the potential to be inclusive with respect to all CoCs within the State of Iowa.